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ROYAL BAKING POWDER
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The Telephone System

A Star man visited the new and commodious quarters of the Ocala Telephone Exchange today, on the third floor of the Gary block. Superintendent R. E. Yonge, Jr., was there and showed our representative through. The office is very handsomely finished, having been remodeled especially for the purpose, and is most convenient, being away and above the noise and jar of the streets to a large extent. Mr. Yonge has brought his mechanical and electrical ingenuity into play and has made some very convenient improvements and additions. In another room Mr. Yonge has his work and repair shop where he dissects a phone and puts it together again as good as new.

The company has put in a number of phones during the last month and just now are putting in one for W. H. Clark, both at his residence and at the barrel factory, one for E. P. Thagard and another for Herbert Crook. The system is giving excellent service of late and is deserving of the patronage of the city.

For Rent

A fine 35-acre pasture, one mile south of town. Apply to Seymour and Smith. Phone 25.

Consumers of cigars should patronize T. W. Troxler.

Verdict Set Aside

Judge Wall has set aside the verdict of \$2000 damages in the case of F. M. Baggett vs. the S. F. & W. railway on the grounds that it was contrary to the law and evidence and the charge of the court, etc. The attorneys for the railroad, C. L. Sistrunk and Judge E. K. Foster, secured this result for their client.

That Joyful Feeling

With the exhilarating sense of renewed health and strength and internal cleanliness, which follows the use of Syrup of Figs, is unknown to the few who have not progressed beyond the old-time medicines and the cheap substitutes sometimes offered but never accepted by the well-informed. Buy the genuine. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

For Sale

Ocala city directories for sale, 50 cents each, by the Ocala Music Company.

Fresh Oysters

Fresh oysters received every day at William Tucker's stall, No. 8, city market.

Don't be foolish. Buy your suit at Masters and be satisfied that you are getting quality, fit and style combined at a moderate price.

MARION COUNTY TEACHERS

A Brief Report of Their Meeting in Ocala Saturday

(CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.)

Professor Strozier made a fine talk. True, it was "shop," but it was the kind that tells, for now are people to determine except from experience, and this Mr. Strozier has had, and such a successful kind that it should be known all over the county what a splendid school he has built at Blitchton, and, at the same time, educated pupils and patrons. He said Superintendent Carn struck the key note in what he said—elements of success, in his estimation, were capacity, adaptability and common sense. Eight years ago this school averaged 12 pupils, now 39.7.

He said that some objected to his rigid rules, but he felt that he was responsible to his patrons for the progress made by the pupils, and hence he was master in his school room. The teacher should be the judge of how and when to discipline the child, and he didn't believe in referring such questions to the board of public instruction. He thought he had discipline in his school, and when he couldn't have it he would quit.

He said that each pupil was responsible for the good behavior of every other pupil. If any one was accused, the culprit made his statement and said if guilty or not. If found guilty, the culprit could choose his own mode of punishment—clearing the playground or taking a thrashing. He taught his pupils to tell the truth. He abhorred a liar.

He said a teacher must practice what he teaches.

He has a rule that if one pupil hears or sees an error in reciting he must make a note of it and at the end of the week have a "clearing house hour" and straighten out such irregularities. He found that it worked well.

He said that a teacher should be kind but firm, do his duty and not try to please all his patrons.

Miss Miriam Pasteur read an excellent essay on "Formalities," the essence of which was the formation of correct habits, which is such a potent factor in all young lives, in shaping their future destiny.

Like everything Miss Pasteur says, it was so well done that it would be difficult to improve on it.

"The Use of the Chart" was the theme of Miss Nellie Stevens of the primary department. She treated the subject in a masterly manner and showed how important a chart was in a school room to the opening up of the understanding of the child, if properly presented.

H. K. Smith, chairman of the board of public instruction, was to have talked on the use of charts to advanced pupils, but sickness prevented, which was greatly regretted, as Mr. Smith has many years of successful experience in the school room.

Superintendent Carn spoke interestingly and forcibly on "Grading Your Schools," and, as all of our teachers know, he is the author of an excellent treatise on this subject.

He then explained his plan to secure a Webster's unabridged dictionary for every school building in the county. It was by co-operation; the board, the teacher and the scholar assisting. The board to help from say \$1 for the Ocala school up to \$6 for a school

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Some Men

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How good our \$3 Box Calf Shoes are.

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Call at Mrs. L. T. Tompkins' for the finest line of Novelty Trimming Silks in the city; all-over plaiting, tucked, shirred and lace combination, in nice assortment of colors; ladies' fine silk and chiffon ready-to-wear collars, patent spring, adjustable and plain; fine line of zephyr shawls, fascinators, etc. Beautiful line of Golf Hats just received for the fall wear. Fine goods at reasonable prices.

Yours respectfully,
MRS. L. T. TOMPKINS.

Corner store, opposite Liddon's stable.

Another Deal for Ocala

The Surprise Store has just closed a deal with Santa Claus whereby that gentleman will make his headquarters at this store, and will have on exhibition there during the holidays one of the prettiest and most complete line of fancy and holiday goods ever seen in the county. Remember the place, the Surprise Store, opera house corner. Dealers in books, stationery, glass, porcelain and Chinaware, notions, musical instruments, etc.

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Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic, clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin today to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets.—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

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Next door to the postoffice.

Lots in Juliette

We have a few choice lots in Juliette for sale. J. H. Livingston & Son, agents.

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J. W. DAVIS,

City Market.



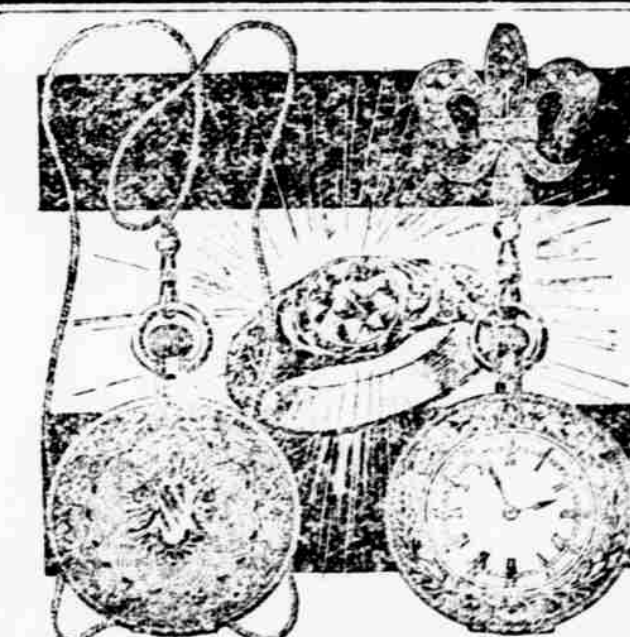
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Our Prices Are Right

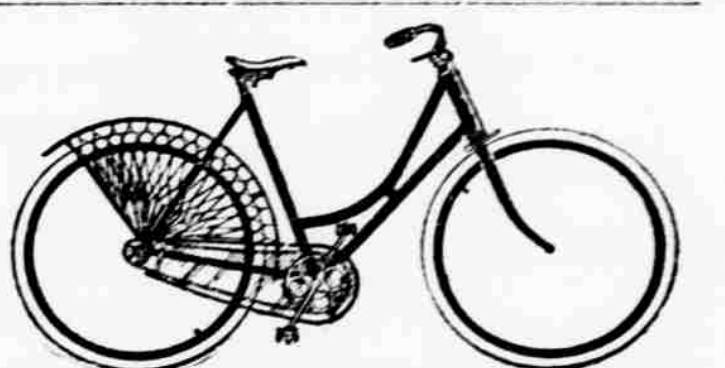
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